

# NEWS RELEASE



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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### Closures for I-5 HOV Improvement Project (SR-170 – Buena Vista Street)

*San Fernando Valley* – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will close the following lanes and ramps of the Golden State Freeway (I-5) as part of a \$121 million improvement project to construct High Occupancy Vehicle (HOV or carpool) lanes in each direction along I-5 between SR-170 to Buena Vista Street. Closures are subject to change. Detours will be signed.

#### Golden State Freeway (I-5) Closures

*Friday May 4 through Friday May 12, 2012*

- Southbound I-5 Roscoe Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 10 a.m. on Saturday May 5th and 12 p.m. on Sunday May 6th)
- Northbound I-5 Roscoe Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday May 5th and Sunday May 6th)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Sunland Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday May 5th and Sunday May 6th)  
9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Sunland Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday May 5th and Sunday May 6th)
- Southbound I-5 Sunland Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 10 a.m. on Saturday May 5th and 12 p.m. on Sunday May 6th)
- Southbound I-5 Sunland Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 9 a.m. on Saturday May 5th and Sunday May 6th)
- Northbound I-5 from Penrose Street to Sheldon Street Laurel Canyon Boulevard  
TIME: Up to Two lanes: 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 8 a.m. on Sunday May 6th)  
Three lanes: 1 a.m. to 5 a.m.



- Northbound I-5 Penrose Street Eastbound and Westbound Off-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday May 5<sup>th</sup> and Sunday May 6th)
- Northbound I-5 Tuxford Street Eastbound and Westbound On-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday May 5th and Sunday May 6th)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Southbound I-5 Tuxford Street Eastbound and Westbound On-Ramp  
TIME: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Lankershim Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday May 5th and Sunday May 6th)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Southbound I-5 Penrose Street Eastbound and Westbound Off-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday May 5th and Sunday May 6th)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Southbound I-5 Penrose Street Northbound and Southbound On-Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday May 5th and Sunday May 6th)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Southbound I-5 Lankershim Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday May 5th and Sunday May 6th)
- Southbound I-5 Lankershim Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound On Ramp  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday May 5th and Sunday May 6th)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Southbound I-5 Sheldon Street/Laurel Canyon Boulevard Eastbound and Westbound Off and On Ramps  
TIME: 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Saturday May 5th and Sunday May 6th)  
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Northbound I-5 Buena Vista Street Eastbound and Westbound On Ramp  
TIME: 9 p.m. to 9 a.m. (Until 10 a.m. on Sunday May 6th)
- Northbound I-5 Hollywood Way Eastbound and Westbound On Ramp  
Time: 10 p.m. to 9 a.m. (Until 12 p.m. on Sunday May 6th)
- Southbound I-5 Hollywood Way Eastbound and Westbound Off Ramps  
Time: 9 p.m. to 8 a.m. (Until 9 a.m. on Sunday May 6th)
- Southbound I-5 Hollywood Way Eastbound and Westbound On Ramp  
Time: 10 p.m. to 5 a.m.



- Northbound I-5 from Buena Vista to Penrose Street  
TIME: Up to Two lanes: 11 p.m. to 6 a.m.(Until 8 a.m. on Sunday May 6<sup>th</sup>)  
Three lanes: 1 a.m. to 6 a.m.
- Northbound I-5 from Buena Vista Street to Sheldon Street/Laurel Canyon Boulevard  
TIME: Up to Two Lane: 9 p.m. to 8 a.m. (Until 10 a.m. on Sunday May 6<sup>th</sup>)  
Three lanes: 12 a.m. to 4 a.m.
- Southbound I-5 from Penrose St to Hollywood Way  
TIME: Up to Two lanes: 11 p.m. To 6 a.m. (Until 8 a.m., on Sunday May 6<sup>th</sup>)
- Southbound I-5 from Sheldon Street/Laurel Canyon Boulevard to Penrose Street  
TIME: Up to Two lanes: 11 p.m. To 6 a.m. (Until 8 a.m. on Sunday May 6<sup>th</sup>)
- Southbound I-5 from Sheldon Street/Laurel Canyon Boulevard to Buena Vista Street  
TIME: Up to Two lanes: 8 p.m. To 6a.m. (Until 10 a.m. on Sunday May 6<sup>th</sup>)  
Three lanes: 11 p.m. to 5 a.m.

## About the Project

Caltrans is building an HOV lane in each direction of I-5 between SR-170 and north of Buena Vista Street in Burbank.

This project will alleviate congestion, encourage carpooling, improve air quality, provide a smoother ride for motorists, and reduce traffic on city streets.

Work began in early 2011 and is expected to be completed in late 2014. Caltrans thanks motorists for their patience and understanding during construction.

